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Title:

AV/C COMMANDS FOR ACCESSING A HARD DISK DEVICE

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This application is filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 in the name of the above-identified Inventor(s).

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